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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Eiji KIKUCHI**

Group Art Unit: **2833**

Application Number: **10/776,258**

Examiner: **Gary F. PAUMEN**

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SPEAKER TERMINAL SYSTEM PROVIDED WITH THEM**

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 13, 2005, Applicants amend the claims as follows and submit the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.